

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	:	Schofield et al.
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For	:	ASSAY FOR BIPOLAR AFFECTIVE DISORDER
Examiner	:	Unknown
Group Art Unit	:	1645

**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT****Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to Examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. National Phase application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.